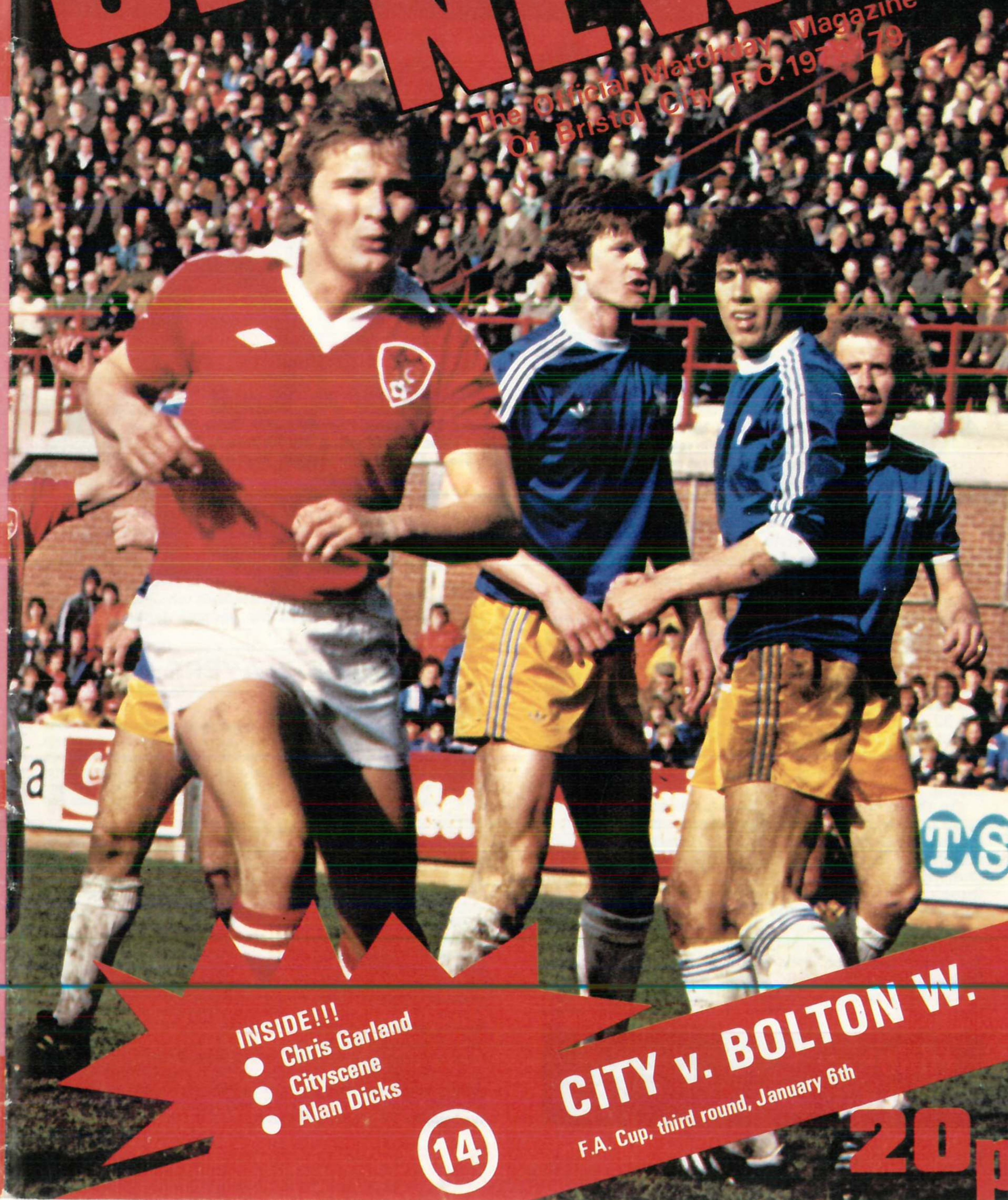


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CITY V. BOLTON W.
F.A. Cup, third round, January 6th

20p



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Bolton Wanderers (front, left to right): Ray Train, Neil Whatmore, Roy Greaves, Peter Reid, John Ritson (now Bury), Tony Dunne. Middle row: Ian Greaves (manager), Terry Poole, Sam Allardyce, Jim McDonagh, Frank Worthington, George Mulhall (now manager of Bradford City), Jim Hedridge (physiotherapist). Back row: Peter Nicholson, Alan Gowling, Mike Walsh, Paul Jones.

Today's FA Cup encounter gives Bolton Wanderers a little light relief from the struggle to establish themselves in Division One after winning Division Two last season.

After just missing out on promotion in the two previous seasons, Bolton and their manager Ian Greaves always knew that they would have to fight hard to attain a respectable position in the senior flight.

One department which has pleased the Bolton boss has been the goalscoring duo of Frank Worthington and Alan Gowling who between them have scored 28 of the 32 League and Cup goals for the club this season.

But the club has lacked consistency. There have been highspots, like the 3-1 home win over Leeds United and the 3-0 victory in the local derby game with Manchester United.

On the other hand they have suffered some pretty hefty reverses — 4-0 at West Bromwich Albion, 4-1 at Ashton Gate, 3-0 at Ipswich, Liverpool and Birmingham. Even when they scored three goals at Chelsea they lost 4-3, although they did win 3-1 at Queen's Park Rangers a month ago. It remains their only away success of the season.

Their patchy away form has also extended to cup-ties. They reached the second round of the League Cup with a 2-1 home win over Chelsea but then lost 2-1 to Third Division Exeter City at St. James Park.

City have of course beaten Bolton twice this season. They won 2-1 at Burnden Park on the opening day of the

campaign and 4-1 at Ashton Gate on November 11 when Joe Royle hit first goals of the season.

In the main, manager Greaves has relied on the promotion-winning side throughout the present campaign. His one major signing has been former Tottenham Hotspur midfield player Neil McNab who joined the club in November and played his second game at Ashton Gate.

THE PLAYERS

JIM McDONAGH (goalkeeper)

A former England youth goalkeeper who played for his home town club of Rotherham United before signing for Bolton in September 1976 for £10,000. Was in Rotherham's promotion-winning side in 1974-75 and had a loan spell with Manchester United at one time, although he never appeared in their League side. Played in every game when Bolton won Division Two last season.

PETER NICHOLSON (full back)

Veteran of two Bolton championship-winning sides, Division Three in 1972-73 and Division Two last season. Was with Carlisle United and Blackpool before joining Bolton in August 1971 but has played all but six of his 250 League games for the club.

TONY DUNNE (full back)

The former Manchester United and Republic of Ireland veteran has been in and out of the side this season. During 13 years at Old Trafford he played in 415 League games and his most memorable achievement was winning a European Cup winners medal in 1968. He joined Bolton on a free transfer in August 1973 and made his debut against City at Ashton Gate. He has played 32 times for his country.

ROY GREAVES (midfield)

A one club man who has scored over 60 goals in his 450-game League career. Has been in two championship-winning Bolton teams, appearing in every game when the club won the Division Three title in 1972-73 and missing only two matches last season. He will be 32 in April.

FRONT COVER

Kevin Mabbutt breaks clear of the Birmingham City defence to make another attempt on goal. Picture — John Kelland

hat-trick of wins

PAUL JONES (defender)

A Lancashire lad who has played all his soccer for Bolton. He made his League debut at Swindon in February 1971 and played in every game when Bolton won Division Three in 1972-73. Played in only half the League games last season. Was considered in the £200,000 category when he was transfer listed in August 1976.

MIKE WALSH (defender)

Last season was his first as a regular member of the side and he missed only one match in the championship campaign. Born in Manchester, he became a full professional in July 1974 and made his League debut against Nottingham Forest in February 1975.

WILLIE MORGAN (midfield)

The former Scottish international was 34 in October but he still holds his own in the First Division. He won the first of his 21 senior international caps as a Burnley player and played in 183 League games before joining Manchester United for £100,000 in August 1968. He played 34 times in the United side which won the Division Two title in 1974-75 but at the end of that season returned to Burnley for £32,000. He was released in March 1976 and joined Bolton. Has just completed 550 League games.

PETER REID (midfield)

Missed the early part of the season because of a summer training accident. A former Bolton apprentice he became a full professional in May 1974 and made his League debut against Orient five months later. He has played in England's Under-21 side. Scored nine goals in 38 games last season.

ALAN GOWLING (striker)

He had scored over 100 Football League goals before he joined Bolton for £120,000 in March. Born in Stockport, he started as a part-timer with Manchester United and had considerable League experience before becoming a full-time professional in 1971. He joined Huddersfield Town for £65,000 in June 1972 and Newcastle United for £70,000 in August 1975. He skippered England's Under-23 side on his only professional international appearance in November 1971. He holds an economics degree from Manchester University.

FRANK WORTHINGTON (striker)

The First Division's leading scorer this season he is now approaching 140 League goals in his career with Huddersfield Town, Leicester City and Bolton. He won two England Under-23 caps as a Huddersfield player and was valued at £100,000 when he moved to Leicester in August 1972. Bolton paid £90,000 to sign him in October 1977 after a month's loan. Scored two goals in eight games in England's senior side. Has been in two Division Two championship-winning sides — Huddersfield in 1969-70 and Bolton last season.

NEIL McNAB (midfield)

Cost Bolton £250,000 in October. He

was a regular member of Tottenham Hotspur's promotion-winning side last season but lost his place to the Argentinian World Cup star Osvaldo Ardiles at the start of this season. He joined Tottenham from Morton in June 1974 for £45,000 and has been on the fringe of the Scottish national side for some time.

SAM ALLARDYCE (defender)

Missed the November game at Ashton Gate because of suspension. The strong man of the side he was sent off against Birmingham City earlier this season. Missed only one game last season when Bolton won Division Two. He made his debut against Notts County in November 1973 and has played all his League soccer for Bolton.

DAVID BURKE (full back)

Made his debut against Chelsea in the League Cup in September and had an extensive run in the League side. Born in Liverpool he joined Bolton in August 1976 as an apprentice and has been a full professional for 17 months.

BRIAN SMITH (midfield)

Lost his place in the side after playing at Ashton Gate in November. Started with the club as an apprentice and became a full professional in July 1974.

Had an eight-game loan spell with Bradford City in October to December 1977.

NEIL WHATMORE (striker)

Although he was top scorer with 19 League goals last season, he has not been able to win a regular starting place this season because of the goalscoring success of the Worthington-Gowling combination. Scored twice on his debut against Swansea in April 1973 — at the end of the season in which Bolton won the Division Three title. Lost his regular place after being sent off at Exeter in the League Cup-tie in October. Came on as substitute at Ashton Gate in November.

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TALK-IN



Sixty-four clubs will line up today — weather permitting — on the Wembley trail. Every player, manager and supporter will be longing for a good run, hoping for the right results today and in subsequent rounds that will lead to a place in the FA Cup final, the greatest occasion in English football each season. Naturally we are no exception, but there are so many factors needed in a long Cup run. Home advantage is always important, for all sides prefer to play on their own pitch in front of their own supporters. But that advantage is minimised unless the supporters play their part. Like you, we want to progress as far as possible in the Cup. So I urge you to believe 100 per cent in what the lads are doing on the field. Get behind them from the start and help us to get a result that

will lift the whole of Bristol. The top clubs are

founded on good, loyal support. So help us

become a top club. Make it a New Year resolution

to give the players the maximum encouragement.

The resolution for the players should be to accept

refereeing decisions. The main strength of British

officials is that they make honest decisions and

honest mistakes. Players also make honest

mistakes and, provided they learn from them, we

all accept them as well. I also appeal for a greater

understanding of what the players are trying to

achieve. It is not always possible to go

forward. Playing possession football and probing

for attacking openings does not necessarily mean

banging the ball down the middle. It is essential to play

the ball around, to change the point of attack and to show

patience on the field. We look for that same patience from

our supporters. Unfortunately our most successful spell in the

First Division ended at the icy Hawthorns on New Year's Day.

I was not happy about the game going ahead and voiced this opinion

to the referee before the game. I don't think football on such surfaces

is a fair reflection on what players can do. I have always

maintained that the public deserve to see a genuine

test of skill between two sides and not a contest that

becomes a lottery. It was a great relief to me that we

got through the match without getting any player

injured. I have no moans about the result. We played

well in the first half and Peter Cormack put us level

with a penalty. The goal that made things difficult for

us came on the stroke of half-time. Albion took their

goals well and had the majority of the play in the

second half. Against Manchester City we played 30

minutes of vintage football. Why did we lose our

touch in the second half? The answer is simple.

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Peter Godsiff on the city scene

Geert Meyer became the third overseas player to turn up at Ashton Gate this season when he made a three-day visit to Bristol last week. The purpose was to have transfer talks with manager Alan Dicks, take a look at the club's set-up and also watch a First Division match.

The game he saw was the thriller against Manchester City before he flew back to his Amsterdam home on Saturday night.

Coach Ken Wimshurst reminded me that I had seen left-winger Meyer play six years ago in Amsterdam in an Under-21 tournament at the Blauw Wit club. He was in the FC Amsterdam team that City beat in the final.

After that Meyer, who is now 27, went in the Army and became a professional with FC Amsterdam where he played for three years in the first team. In the summer he was transferred across the city to Ajax for a fee he told me was reported to be 650,000 guilders (£160,000 at the present rate of exchange).

He signed a two-year contract but things haven't quite worked out the way he expected. Instead of playing every week, he has been reserved for home games only.

Before the brief Christmas break in Holland, he had played 11 games. He explained that Ajax played a 4-3-3 system at home but brought in an extra midfield man for away games and did without a natural winger.

"Chess football" is the way he described the present tactical approach of Dutch football. Incidentally I heard Arnold Muhren of Ipswich use the identical expression on *Match of the Day* last Saturday.

Geert was clearly not happy with



GEERT MEYER

that and is looking for a club that can offer him more regular football. But he emphasised that any move depended entirely on the kind of contract he was offered.

"I am on a good contract with Ajax," he said. "The money is as important to me as my football future. I found Bristol to be a nice place and I enjoyed my three days with Bristol City, but I am a professional footballer and it is the money that counts."

Although manager Dicks and his assistant Tony Collins saw Meyer play for Ajax in a European Cup match against Honved of Budapest in Amsterdam recently, they were more concerned to see him perform in City colours in a friendly before committing themselves to detailed transfer talks.

But it was not possible to arrange a game, and this put a damper on the negotiations.

Meyer, a powerful six-footer, described his assets as his speed and the precision of his left-foot shooting and passing.

In his final game for Ajax before Christmas, he was on the substitute's bench for a League match at Twente Enschede. With 20 minutes left, Ajax were losing 2-0 so brought Meyer into the action.

He laid on two goals with accurate left-wing crosses and Ajax triumphed 3-2.

Whether he will become City's

first foreign import is still in the balance. Talks between Mr. Dicks and Dutch officials have been continuing this week.

JACK HARGREAVES

Jack Hargreaves, one of the club's best-known post-war players and officials, died just before Christmas from a heart attack at the age of 63.

A left-winger, he played for Leeds United for nine years until 1942, staying with City for five years as a player. He went to Reading and then to Yeovil where he was a member of the famous giant-killing team that beat Sunderland and Bury in the FA Cup in 1949.

After a spell as player-manager of Minehead, he went to Gloucestershire Northern League teams Stonehouse and Cam before returning to Ashton Gate.

He worked as a fitter with Bristol Aeroplane Company and Brecknell Dolman and Rogers and, as a part-timer, was youth coach and scout at Ashton Gate for almost 20 years.

He remained in football, coaching Broad Plain House and Exeter United, as well as scouting for Swindon Town.

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In the event of today's match ending in a draw after 90 minutes, the replay will be at Burnden Park next Tuesday, January 9th, at 7.30 p.m.

NEW YEAR MESSAGE

I should like to take this opportunity on behalf of my colleagues on the board and myself to wish all our supporters and members of the management and staff a very happy New Year.

The people involved in our club are many and varied and so far as we all are concerned they very much include the supporters and also our agents.

The message I wish to put across is simply: Do your best and support us this year as often as you can. No one can ask for more.

STEPHEN KEW
(chairman)



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CITY STAR

I'm hoping that 1979 will be a better year for me than 1978 which must go down as my leanest since I joined City from school as a 15-year-old apprentice way back in 1964.

My troubles started one fateful afternoon at Norwich when I sustained a knee injury. That was 15 months ago and since then I have played in only two League matches. They were at the start of this season after I had made a full recovery and really looked forward to a successful, injury-free season.

We started the season with a new attacking formation of three strikers and no winger. I was asked to play wide, which is not a position I feel is my best. Although we won at Bolton on the opening day and gained a home draw against Norwich, the system did not appear to be working particularly well.

WING PLAY

I felt the side needed width and I asked the boss to leave me out for the benefit of the side. I was prepared to take my chance of getting back in as a striker — preferably playing off the target man, which is where I have always maintained I am at my best.

Nearly four months later I am still waiting for that chance. But I have no regrets about what I did. It had to be done for the good of the side.

The value of wing play was evi-

dent for all to see in the Boxing Day match against Coventry when two crosses from Clive Whitehead and another from Gerry Sweeney laid on three goals. If you don't get players down the by-line, the two strikers have the hardest task in the world to score goals.

A lot of people have described me as injury-prone, but let me assure them now that I don't agree with that. Injuries have cost me a few chances to play in the side, the worst, of course, being that knee trouble that needed an operation.

But I am now fully fit and have been for quite some time now. I am also lighter than I have ever been, about 11 stone 8lb. But I did have one strike of misfortune this season when Joe Royle was suspended and had to miss the home match against Wolves. I was lined up to replace him but, the day before the game, I suffered a shoulder injury and had to drop out.

It has been a very disappointing season for me personally. At this time of my career, I am not happy playing in reserve football. There have been one or two occasions when the first team has had a couple of sticky patches and I had hoped for a call, but it was not to be.

I realise the importance of a strong squad to the success of any club and the group of players here are unquestionably the best the club has ever had.

I have spoken to the manager from time to time about my chances here, but have signed a four-year contract and feel I have another five

years or so in League football. I am a Bristolian, and supported the club when I was a schoolboy, and do not want to leave.

But it is important for me to start playing good, competitive football. I don't think reserve football offers that. You can get into bad habits and your mental approach is not always what it ought to be.

NO REGRETS

I have been dropped before and accept the manager's decision. I have never made a fuss about it. But there are times when you get disillusioned when you think you deserve another chance yet do not get it.

I have no regrets about coming back to Ashton Gate. My best spell was obviously when I returned from Leicester City first of all. Although I had to play as a centre-forward and did not start too well, I put things right at the end of that season by scoring half-a-dozen crucial goals which helped keep the club in the First Division.

But that seems such a long time ago now. I now find myself in a funny situation and the season hasn't really started for me yet. The way the lads are playing at the moment indicates that I may have to wait a long time before I get my chance again.

But I have to accept the situation as it is and put in more hard work to get over what has been the most frustrating period of my football life.

It is good to be part of a squad that has such a good chance of getting into Europe next season. It would be one of the highlights of my career if we can finish in the top six this season and qualify.

Chelsea were in Europe when I joined them but I was not eligible to play and they never qualified again. I just hope my chance comes next season.

CHRIS GARLAND'S CAREER

Full name: Christopher Stephen Garland.

Height: 5ft 10in. **Weight:** 11 stone 8lb.

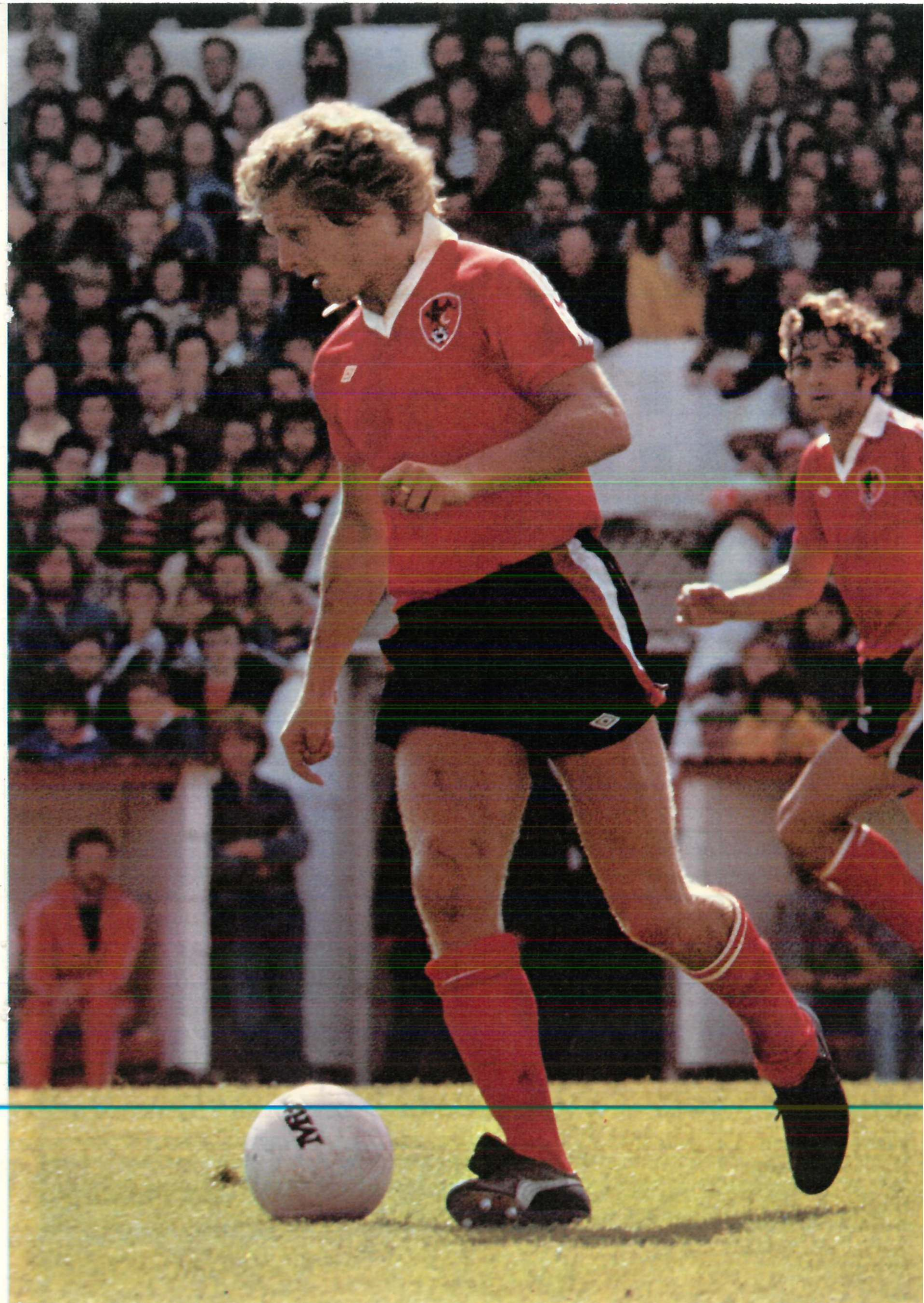
Birthplace: Bristol. **Birthdate:** April 24th. 1949.

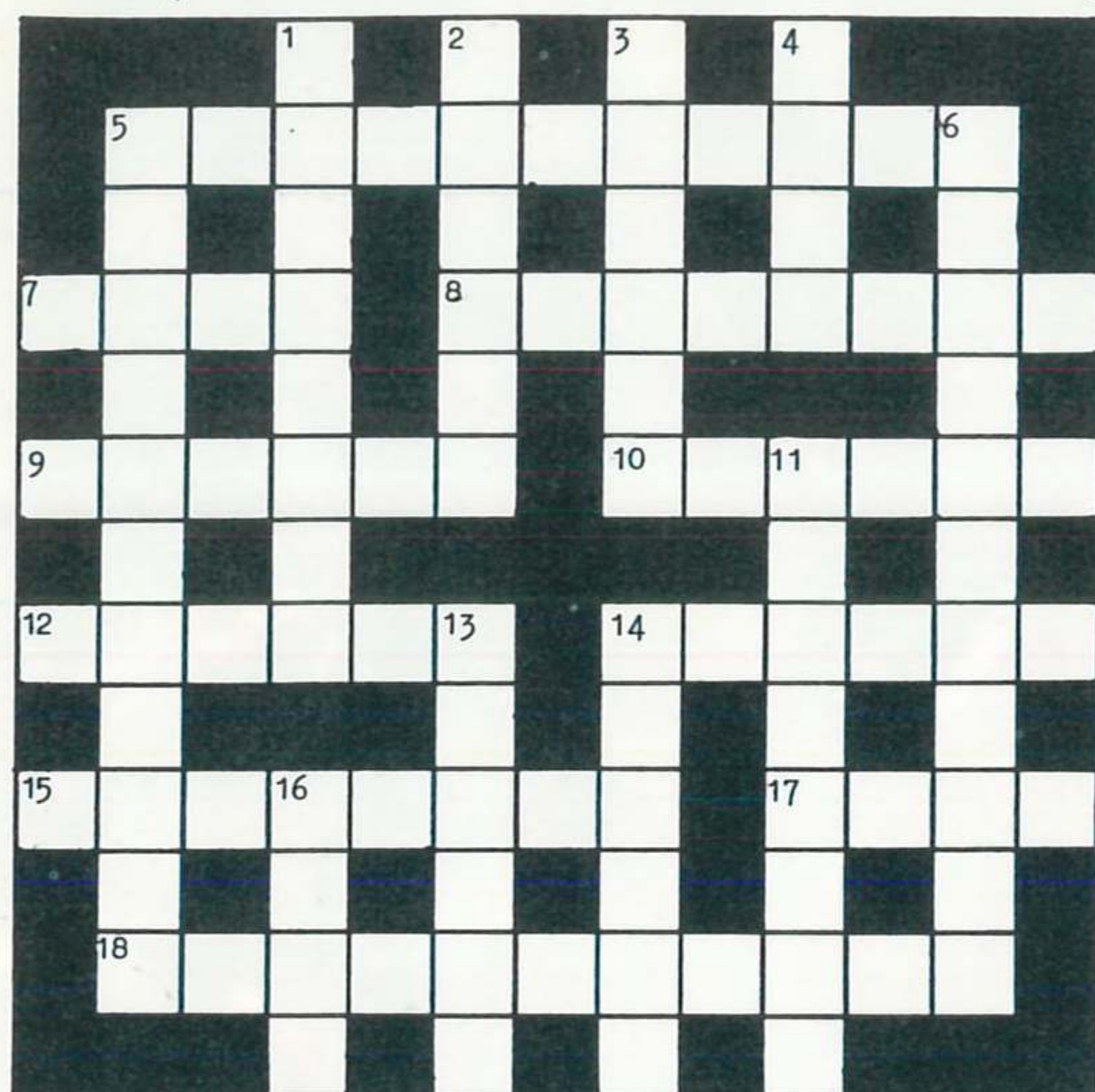
Family: Wife Patricia, Sons Adam (7), Warren (5). They live at Nailsea.

Signing date: 1964 as an apprentice. Moved to Chelsea in September 1971 for £100,000, then to Leicester City and back to Bristol City for £100,000 in November 1976.

Honours: One England Under 23 cap against Bulgaria in 1970. FA representative team to Australia 1972. England youth and schools trialist.

Career record: Chelsea; 89 League games, 22 goals; Leicester 52 League games, 15 goals; Bristol City 164 League games, 39 goals.





CLUES ACROSS

5. Scottish R.U. International Ground (11)
7. Last the course (4)
8. Standing order for stable lads (5, 3)
9. Former hero of Merseyside (6)
10. Limp, and fasten the horse up (6)
12. Turns and swerves (6)
14. Indian bowler noted for his turban (1, 1, 4)
15. The dread of every batsman (3, 1, 4)
17. Groovy man! Rally car driver might agree (4)
18. Famous British motor racing track (6, 5)

CLUES DOWN

1. Are they the only colour allowed on the dog track? (4, 4)
 2. Weapon formerly used in jousting (6)
 3. Start again (6)
 4. Probably the most famous English centre forward ever (4)
 5. The first man to swim the channel (7, 4)
 6. The language spoken when Ajax meet Feyenoord? (6, 5)
 11. The American legendary baseball hero (4, 4)
 13. Partnerships by batsmen (6)
 14. Moorings (6)
 16. Amsterdam team, won European Cup three years running (4)
- Solutions page 14.*

Do you know?

1. Who knocked City out of the Cup last season?
2. Who knocked Bolton out of the Cup last season?
3. When did City last reach the final?
4. Name last season's four semi-finalists
5. When did Bolton last win the Cup?
6. How many times have they won it?
7. When was City's best post-war Cup run?
8. Who scored City's last FA Cup goal?

Answers page 14.

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FIRST in FOCUS

By Alan King.

Nottingham Forest striker Tony Woodcock ended a lean spell in the League when he scored in the 1-1 draw with Derby County. The England forward's last First Division goal was at Aston Villa on September 30 — although by this time last season he had netted eight times and went on to a total of 11. The goal against Derby doubled his 78-79 total to two.

Queen's Park Rangers player Billy Hamilton scored the first Football League goals of his career when he netted twice in the 2-0 home win over Manchester City.

Hamilton, who is a Northern Irish international, joined Rangers from Linfield in April for £25,000.

Two new signings for Aston Villa. Ken Swain has joined the club from Chelsea for £100,000 and Clyde striker Joe Ward has become a member of the Villa Park staff at a cost of £80,000.

Bruce Rioch had a successful month on loan with Birmingham City so the former Scotland captain made the move from Derby County a permanent one. The fee was £50,000.

Manchester United's 54,940 Boxing Day gate for the visit of Liverpool was their sixth over 50,000 this season. But their opening day crowd of 56,136 against Birmingham City is still the best of all in the Football League.

Although Boxing Day is traditionally a good one for soccer crowds, no club recorded a best gate of the season. Aston Villa, Everton, Ipswich Town, Middlesbrough and Wolves had their second biggest attendances so far.



Joe Royle's hat-trick against Coventry City was the sixth in Division One this season and City and Arsenal are the only clubs to have recorded the feat twice. Other triples: Frank Stapleton (Arsenal v Ipswich Town), Alan Sunderland (Arsenal v Tottenham), Kevin Mabbutt (City v Manchester United), Jimmy Case (Liverpool v Bolton Wanderers), Ron Futcher (Manchester City v Chelsea), and Micky Burns (4 for Middlesbrough v Chelsea). The Mabbutt and Futcher hat-tricks were in away games. Joe is seen above heading his third goal against Coventry.

Midfield player Steve Fox has left Birmingham City for Second Division Wrexham. City collected £90,000 as a transfer fee.

Since he was appointed in March, manager Jim Smith has paid out over £850,000 in transfer fees — the biggest for Alberto Tarantini (£250,000), Alan Buckley (£175,000) and Don Givens (£165,000).

The Fox fee brings the transfer receipts totals to around £279,000.

New York Cosmos are reported to have made an offer of £300,000 for Manchester City and Scotland mid-field player Asa Hartford.

Former City and England star Dennis Tueart joined the North American Soccer League champions last season.

Hartford was injured against Everton on Boxing Day but early fears that his leg was fractured were happily unfounded and he played at Ashton Gate in the next match.

DIVISION ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Liverpool	21	15	3	3	47	9	33
W.B.A.	21	14	5	2	48	19	33
Everton	22	12	9	1	32	18	33
Arsenal	22	11	7	4	39	20	29
Nottm. Forest	20	8	11	1	21	12	27
Leeds Utd.	23	9	8	6	44	30	26
BRISTOL CITY	24	9	7	8	30	26	25
Coventry City	22	9	7	6	29	35	25
Man. Utd.	22	9	6	7	32	39	24
Tottenham	22	8	8	6	25	38	24
Aston Villa	21	7	9	5	26	19	23
Southampton	21	6	8	7	25	28	20
Ipswich Town	22	8	3	11	29	30	19
Derby County	22	7	5	10	26	40	19
Man. City	21	5	8	8	27	28	18
Norwich City	19	4	10	5	30	30	18
Bolton	22	6	5	11	29	41	17
Middlesbrough	21	6	4	11	30	31	16
Q.P.R.	21	4	7	10	18	30	15
Wolves	21	5	2	14	17	40	12
Chelsea	22	2	6	14	22	48	10
Birmingham	22	2	4	16	20	39	8

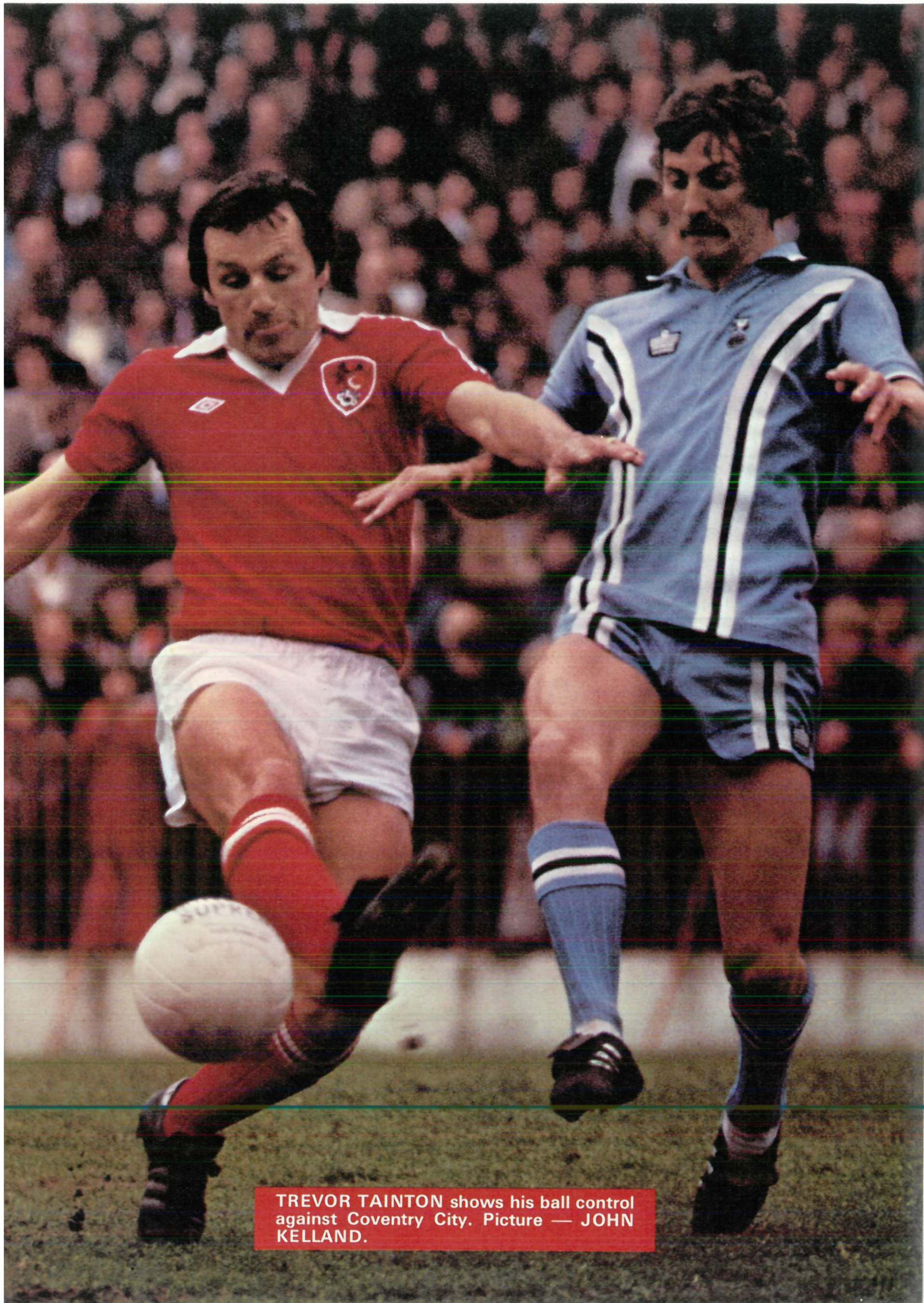
TOP CROWDS

1	Manchester United	553,512	50,319
2	Liverpool	483,729	48,373
3	Everton	457,998	41,636
4	Tottenham	448,254	40,750
5	Manchester City	393,150	39,315
6	Arsenal	441,406	36,784
7	Aston Villa	349,725	34,972
8	Nottingham Forest	305,028	30,503
9	West Bromwich Albion	252,354	28,039
10	Leeds United	305,201	27,745
11	Chelsea	261,763	26,176
12	Bolton Wanderers	246,115	24,611
13	Birmingham City	240,795	23,079
14	Coventry City	256,258	23,296
15	Derby County	250,036	22,730
16	BRISTOL CITY	269,909	22,492
17	Ipswich Town	260,854	21,738
18	Southampton	231,299	21,027
19	Wolves	231,295	21,027
20	Norwich City	201,284	20,128
21	Queen's Park Rangers	226,536	18,878
22	Middlesbrough	169,873	16,987

TOP SHOTS

Leading First Division scorers (League and League Cup)

- 17 — Frank Worthington (Bolton Wanderers)
- 14 — Bob Latchford (Everton)
- 13 — Alan Buckley (Birmingham City, 8 Walsall)
- 12 — Frank Stapleton (Arsenal)
- 11 — Alistair Brown (West Bromwich Albion), Liam Brady (Arsenal), Alan Gowling (Bolton Wanderers), John Ryan (Norwich City)
- 10 — Kenny Dalglish (Liverpool), Jimmy Greenhoff (Manchester United), John Hawley (Leeds United), Cyrille Regis (West Bromwich Albion).
- 9 — Micky Burns (Middlesbrough), Gerry Daly (Derby County), Paul Mariner (Ipswich Town), Tom Ritchie (Bristol City), John Robertson (Nottingham Forest).



TREVOR TAINTON shows his ball control against Coventry City. Picture — JOHN KELLAND.

CITY



by
Jim Evans (PROMOTIONS MANAGER)

COMMERCIAL

Welcome to Bolton Wanderers for the second time this season. This match could set us on the way to a really great FA Cup run and, if this happens, Bristol City will really be on the map in a big way.

One man keener than most of us to see us at Wembley is **Bill Hutton** of Shirehampton. He won two Cup Final tickets in the free draw at the Agents' Party just before Christmas.

He told me at the time that his one wish was to see City at Wembley so he will be cheering loudly to help the lads on their way this afternoon. Don't forget to keep cheering the lads throughout the 90 minutes.

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WANTED — retail outlets for our Make Money tickets. This new scheme has caught on rapidly and we are delighted with the response from supporters so far.

We have now appointed three main agents in East Somerset, Portishead and Gloucestershire. Now we are looking for more shops, pubs and garages to take these popular tickets.

If you come from East Somerset, the man to contact is **B. J. Loader** on Frome 4857 or 61916. For the Gloucestershire area telephone **Maureen Smith** on Bristol 507678. In Portishead, Clevedon or Weston-super-Mare ring **Hilary Morris** on Portishead 84-4835.

They will all be delighted to give you full details of how you can help Bristol City make money and how you can help yourselves at the same time.

MORE PRIZES. Yes, from now on, there are many more cash prizes to be won on the Bristol City lottery. Instead of 18 major prizes each week, there will now be **SIXTY-SEVEN**.

The big £1,000 cheque will be paid as usual — and many people had a very happy Christmas and planned for a prosperous New Year with the cash they have won on the lottery.

The £750 second prize has been reduced to £500. The third prize remains at £250, the Star Prize is still valued at £300 and there are also four £100 and 10 £10 cash awards each week.

There will now be 49 additional prizes of £5. Holders of tickets whose last three numbers correspond with that of the £1,000 prize-winner will collect fivers.

If, for example the big winner next week is ticket number 18346 then all other tickets ending "346" will be £5 winners.

Don't forget that agents get 10 per cent commission on all sales and also 10 per cent commission on big winners. There is a collection service in most areas to make it easy to be an agent. The number to ring is Bristol 66-3886.

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KIOSKS. For your convenience, Make Money and City Lottery tickets are on sale at Maggs kiosk, Queen's Road, the Bus Station, Bristol, and Broad Walk Shopping Centre at Knowle.

Earn extra cash for a few hours spare time work. Ladies, if you want to fill in those day-time hours by making money, ring Bristol 66-9944 and Mike Solway will fill in the details.

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CANVASSERS. We are still in need of a few more door-to-door canvassers to explain the many benefits of being a member of the City Lottery.

Can you help? We offer good commission, so telephone **Brian White** or **Alan Sampson** on Bristol 66-3886 when everything will be explained.

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SUPPORTERS' CLUB. A full programme of entertainment will be held as usual in the Clubroom tonight, cover charge 45p.



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Reserves' roll-call

Colin O'Brien, the popular left-winger who has been with us for a year, has joined Hereford United on a month's loan.

Colin was due to make his debut in a Combination match just before Christmas but the freezing conditions brought a postponement so he is still waiting for his chance to impress Hereford boss Mike Bailey.

If he comes up to expectations after his trial period, he will sign on a permanent basis for a small fee.

Colin, the son of former Southampton favourite George O'Brien, was spotted last season playing for Hampshire League club Swaythling Athletic. He showed enough potential to be signed on.

Although he has played fairly regularly in the reserves, it has now become apparent that his hopes of making the first team here are strictly limited and that a move to another club would be in his own best interests.

The arrival of Ian Doyle from Barnstaple and the continuing progress made by our younger players has made opportunities even more restricted.

Ian, incidentally, scored his first goal for the club last Saturday in an Intermediate League game against West Bromwich at Stockwood. We fielded a stronger-than-usual team because many of the young professionals have been without a game for so long.

They played well and won 3-0. Howard Pritchard and Shaun Penny scored the other goals.

The weather, which has caused disruption to our fixtures, has also upset our plans for the school holiday trialists. The five lads from London and two from Plymouth couldn't make it this week. We also cancelled plans to bring down two boys from Scotland and three more from Manchester area. We hope to bring them down when the ice clears.

Two youngsters from West Somerset arrived last week to look around the club. But they were stranded in Bristol over the New Year holiday and had to stay in the club hostel.

Reserve appearances: Stevens 19, Pritchard 18, Collier 15, Bain 15, Hay 15, McNeill 13, Chandler 13, O'Brien 12, Cashley 12, Merrick 11, Penny 11, Baddeley 8, Mogg 8, Garland 7, Cormack 6, Whitehead 6, Brace 5, Wiffill 3, Musker 3, Doyle 2, Mabbutt 2, Ramsey 1, Jasper 1, Mann 1, Stewart 1, Gow 1, Watson 1, Smith 1.

Reserve scorers: Bain 8, Garland 5, Chandler 5, Penny 2, Cormack 2, Whitehead 2, Mabbutt 2, O'Brien 1, Brace 1, Pritchard 1, Mann 1, Stevens 1 own goal.

— GERRY SHARPE

DO YOU KNOW? ANSWERS

1. Wrexham, 3-0 in a third round replay; 2. Middlesbrough, 2-0 in the fifth round; 3. 1909, losing 1-0 to Manchester United; 4. Ipswich, West Brom., Arsenal, Orient; 5. 1958, beating Manchester United 2-0; 6. Four times, previously in 1923, 1926 and 1929; 7. 1974 before losing 1-0 at Liverpool in the sixth round; 8. Kevin Mabbutt, in the 4-4 third round draw with Wrexham a year ago.

QUIZWORD SOLUTION

ACROSS: 5. Murrayfield; 7. Stay; 8. Clean out; 9. Shanks; 10. Hobbie; 12. Twists; 14. B.S. Bed; 15. Get a pair; 17. Ruts; 18. Brands Hatch. DOWN: 1. Grey ones; 2. Lances; 3. Afresh; 4. Dean; 5. Matthew Webb; 6. Double Dutch; 11. Babe Ruth; 13. Stands; 14. Berths; 16. Ajax.

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FOOTBALL COMBINATION

Date	Opponents	Venue	Result	Scorers
Aug 19	1978 Orient	A	1-1	Penny
30	IPSWICH TOWN	H	3-1	Mabbutt 2, Cormack
Sept 2	Crystal Palace	A	1-2	Bain
9	OXFORD UNITED	H	4-0	Garland 3, Chandler
20	Cardiff City	A	2-1	Garland, Mann
23	FULHAM	H	0-0	
27	TOTTENHAM	H	0-2	
30	Arsenal	A	3-3	Bain 2, Penny
Oct 7	WEST HAM	H	2-3	Bain 2
10	Birmingham City	A	2-1	Brace, Pritchard
19	LEICESTER CITY	H	3-2	Bain, Chandler, Cormack
21	Q.P.R.	H	0-2	
24	CRYSTAL PALACE	H	4-4	Bain 2, Whitehead 2
31	READING	H	2-1	Chandler, Garland
Nov 4	Southampton	A	1-2	Chandler
18	Ipswich	A	1-2	O'Brien
25	CHELSEA	H	2-1	Chandler, own goal
Dec 2	Norwich City	A	1-7	Stevens
9	SWINDON TOWN	H	0-0	
19	HEREFORD	H	0-0	
Jan 6	1979 Hereford	A		
9	Plymouth	A		
13	Oxford	A		
16	CARDIFF CITY	H		
Feb 3	Fulham	A		
10	ARSENAL	H		
17	West Ham	A		
24	Leicester City	A		
Mar 3	Q.P.R.	A		Orient (H)
7	Reading	A		Bristol Rovers (H)
13	SOUTHAMPTON	H		Luton (A)
20	Bristol Rovers	A		to be arranged
24	Tottenham	A		
31	Chelsea	A		
Apr 7	NORWICH	H		
21	LUTON TOWN	H		
24	PLYMOUTH	H		
28	Swindon Town	A		
May 5	BIRMINGHAM	H		

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DIVISION ONE

	RESULT	ATTENDANCE	JOHN SHAW	GERRY SWEENEY	TERRY COOPER	JIMMY MANN	DAVID RODGERS	NORMAN HUNTER	TREVOR TANTON	TOM RITCHIE	JOE ROYLE	PETER CORMACK	CHRIS GARLAND	CLIVE WHITEHEAD	HOWARD PRITCHARD	DONNIE GILLIES	GERRY GOW	KEVIN MABBUTT	JOHN BAIN	GARY COLLIER		POINTS	POSITION
APPEARANCES			25	25	2	17	25	24	24	25	22	9	2	11	2	23	21	13	3	1			
SUB. APPEARANCES						3						2	1	5				1					
GOALS						1	4	1		9	7	3				1	1	4					

AUGUST 1978

19—BOLTON W. A	2-1	21,355	1	2	3	4 ¹	5	6	7	8 ¹	9	10	11	12									2	—
22—NORWICH CITY H	1-1	19,274	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 ¹	11 ^s	S									3	5
26—ASTON VILLA H	1-0	23,472	1	2		4	5 ¹	6	7	8	9		12	11	10	3							5	5
29—C. PALACE (FL.C2) H	1-2	10,433	1	2		4	5	6	7	8 ¹	9 ^s		S	11	10	3							—	—

SEPTEMBER

2—WOLVES W. A	0-2	16,121	1	2		4	5	6	7	8	9 ^s	S		11		3	10						5	7
9—TOTTM H. A	0-1	34,035	1	2		4	5	6	7	8	9			11		3	10	12					5	12
16—SOUTHAMPTON H	3-1	21,420	1	2		S	5 ¹	6	7	8 ²	9 ^s	10				3	4	11					7	8
23—IPSWICH TOWN A	1-0	20,168	1	2		10	5	6	7	8 ¹	9		12			3	4	11					9	6
30—EVERTON H	2-2	22,331	1	2		10	5	6 ¹	7	8	9			12		3	4 ¹	11					10	5

OCTOBER

7—QUEENS PARK R. A	0-1	15,707	1	2		10	5	6	7	8	9		12	11		3	4						10	9
14—NOTTM F. H	1-3	26,953	1	2		10	5	6	7	8 ¹	9			S		3 ^s	4	11					10	11
21—MANCHESTER U. A	3-1	47,211	1	2		10	5	6	7	8	9			12		3	4	11 ^s					12	9
28—ARSENAL H	1-3	27,016	1	2		10 ^s	5 ¹	6	7	8				9		3	4	11	S				12	11

NOVEMBER

4—MIDDLESBROUGH A	0-0	20,471	1	2			5	6	7	8	9		12			3	4	11	10				13	11
11—BOLTON W. H	4-1	18,168	1	2			5 ¹	6	7	8 ¹	9 ²			S		3	4	11	10 ^s				15	10
18—ASTON VILLA A	0-2	27,621	1	2			5	6	7	8	9			S		3	4	11	10 ^s				15	12
21—WOLVES W. H	0-1	17,421	1	2		10 ^s	5	6	7	8		S		11		3	4	9					15	12
25—BIRMINGHAM C. (1) . A	1-1	21,552	1	2	12	10	5	6	7	8	9					3	4	11 ¹					16	13

DECEMBER

2—DERBY C. H	1-0	17,487	1	2		10	5	6	7	8	9			12		3 ¹	4	11					18	11
9—LEEDS UNITED A	1-1	22,529	1	2		7	5	6		8	9 ¹	10		12		3	4	11					19	11
16—LIVERPOOL (2) H	1-0	28,722	1	2		11 ^s	5	6	7	8	9 ¹	10		S		3	4						21	11
23—CHELSEA A	0-0	19,093	1	2		12	5	6	7	8	9	10		11		3	4						22	10
26—COVENTRY CITY H	5-0	22,324	1	2		12	5	6	7	8 ¹	9 ^s	10 ¹		11		3	4						24	6
30—MANCHESTER C. H	1-1	25,253	1	2		S	5	6 ^s	7	8 ¹	9	10		11		3	4						25	7

JANUARY 1979

1—WEST BROM A. A	1-3	31,593	1	2		S	5		7	8	9 ^s	10 ¹		11		3	4			6			25	7
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FEBRUARY

3—IPSWICH TOWN H																								
10—EVERTON A																								
17—QUEENS PARK R. (5) . H																								
24—NOTTINGHAM F. A																								

MARCH

3—MAN. UNITED H																								
10—ARSENAL (6) A																								
17—MIDDLESBRO' (LCF) . H																								
24—NORWICH CITY A																								
31—BIRMINGHAM C. (SF) . H																								

APRIL

7—DERBY COUNTY A																								
10—CHELSEA H																								
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17—WEST BROM. A. H																								
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28—LEEDS UNITED H																								

MAY

5—MANCHESTER CITY .. A																								
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Bristol City ball boys — sponsored by R and S Transport — pose with the company's managing director Roger Smith.

TODAY'S LINE-UP

BRISTOL CITY

v.

BOLTON W.

Red/White

- 1 John SHAW
- 2 Gerry SWEENEY
- 3 Donnie GILLIES
- 4 Gerry GOW
- 5 David RODGERS
- 6 Norman HUNTER
- 7 Trevor TAINTON
- 8 Tom RITCHIE
- 9 Joe ROYLE
- 10 Peter CORMACK
- 11 Clive WHITEHEAD
- 12 Jimmy MANN

White/Blue

- 1 Jim McDONAGH
- 2 Peter NICHOLSON
- 3 Tony DUNNE
- 4 Roy GREAVES
- 5 Paul JONES
- 6 Mike WALSH
- 7 Willie MORGAN
- 8 Peter REID
- 9 Alan GOWLING
- 10 Frank WORTHINGTON
- 11 Neil McNAB
- 12 Brian SMITH

TODAYS OFFICIALS

Referee: LESTER SHAPTER from Newton Abbot, Devon, started refereeing in the South Devon League and reached the full League list from the Western League. Lined an England amateur international against Italy in 1972 and a European Cup winners cup match in East Germany three years ago. A police officer, he played for the British police team at rugby and his interests include cross country running and bowls.

Linesmen: A. J. ELLIS (Exeter) Red Flag
K. R. BELL (Southampton) Yellow Flag

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